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USING LED LIGHT SOURCE AND
ARTICLE DECORATED THEREBY
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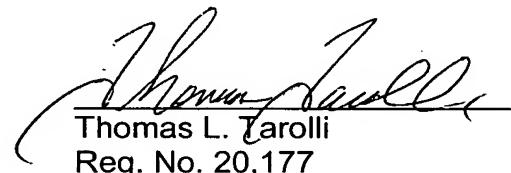
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JP 3079520 U1	See attached English abstract.
JP 3-104649	See attached English translation.
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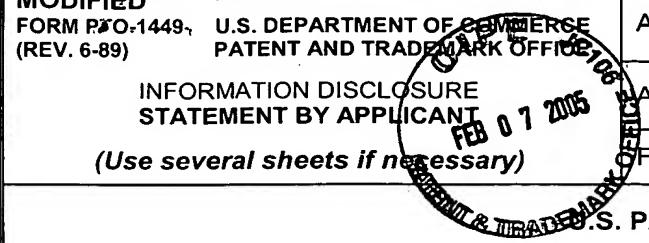
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